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HAVING A SMALL P3 RESIDUE

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RESPONSE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES (37 CFR §1.821-1.825)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the PTO Action including a request to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures Under 37 CFR \$1.821-1.825 mailed December 19, 2000, enclosed is a Sequence Listing on paper copy, made in accordance with 37 CFR \$1.821 - \$1.825. No Notice to Comply was enclosed in the PTO Action. Also enclosed is the Sequence Listing in computer readable form, submitted as required by 37 CFR \$1.821(e), on which the Sequence Listing is labeled OPT0020P.txt.

Applicants respectfully request entry of the Sequence Listing and computer readable copy thereof.

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I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(a) through (c) and (e), respectively, are the same and include no new matter.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that making willful false statements and the like is punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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